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1. The amendment filed on 26 June 2006 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) entered.
- b) entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.
Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.
- d) disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) entered in part. See explanation below.

The amendment has been considered, but has been disapproved because it is deemed to be affecting the scope of the claims and/or the invention. The changes in the amendment deemed to be affecting the scope are as follows:

- in amended claim 1, the replacement of "system" with "device" and the replacement of "perform a threshold comparison and generating an output sense signal indicative of a polarization state of the charge-storing device" with "output a differential positive or negative signal which is converted to a digital logic level indicative of the polarization state of the charge-storing device depending on the sign of the differential sense signal"
- in amended claim 10, the replacement of "perform a threshold comparison and generating an output sense signal indicative of a polarization state of a selected charge-storing device connected therewith" with "output a differential positive or negative sense signal which is converted to a digital logic level indicative of a polarization state of the charge-storing devices depending on the sign of the differential sense signal"
- in the amended specification, in the last paragraph bridging pages 5 and 6, the replacement of "two pairs" with "one pair" and the insertion of "connected in parallel and"

Other changes in the amendment are deemed to be not affecting the scope.



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